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Transmitted herewith is the following:

3 pages signed Declaration for Utility of Design Patent Application.

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